

Implementation of Post Based Roster in Place of Vacancy Based Roster

539. VEN'BLE DHAMMAVIRIYO: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the DOPT has introduced 'Post Based Roster' in place of 'Vacancy Based Roster' for implementing reservation system w.e.f. 02.07.1997 if so, the reasons therefor;

(b) whether while introducing "Post Based Roster" in place of Vacancy Based Roster the process of identifying excesses/shortages of persons, if any, in Class I, II, III and IV category of services under the Ministry of Civil Aviation and all its subordinate offices was undertaken as prescribed under para (5) of the DOPT O.M. No.36012/2/96-Estt. (Res) dated 02.07.1997; and

(c) if so, the results thereof?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV): (a) to (c) Yes Sir. As per instructions vide OM No. 36012/2/96-Estt. (Res) dated 2.7.1997 issued by DOPT to replace all existing vacancy based reservation rosters with post based rosters, Ministry of Civil Aviation has advised all organisations under its control to comply with the above instructions.

New Flight from Bhubaneswar to Bangalore

540. SHRI RAMACHANDRA KHUNTIA: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state: whether Government would consider the proposal of restoring Air Bus Service from Delhi to Bhubaneswar daily and also introducing new flight connection from Bhubaneswar to Bangalore?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV): At present, Indian Airlines/Alliance Air operates following services connecting Delhi and Bhubaneswar:—

Delhi-Bhubaneswar-Delhi-3/week (with A-320) Delhi-Bhubaneswar-Vizag-Chennai & return-4/week (with B-737)

Due to restructuring of routes, in the winter schedule effective